



The Centre for Child Development

JOB POSTING

Supported Child Development Consultant

Posting #: SCD-2026-03

Title: Supported Child Development Consultant

Department: SCD

Location: Surrey

Status: Temporary Full time (until return of incumbent)

Start Date: June 22, 2026

Union: HSA, HSPBA

Wage Rate: \$40.19 - 50.20 (P1, schedule E, HSPBA)

Reports to: Vice President, SCD & Childcare Programs

Job Summary:

Responsible for providing initial consultation for all new families referred to Supported Child Development (SCD), conduct initial assessment of support needs and request for additional support as needed. Assist families to find a childcare program or other community-based supports; complete all initial required documentation; make referrals to other agencies if appropriate; and collaborate with families and providers for a positive placement. Support the inclusion of children who require additional supports in childcare settings chosen by their families. Address parent and childcare provider needs and issues related to inclusion. Liaise with other professionals in the planning process and provide services such as observation, non-clinical assessment, program monitoring, training, problem solving and collaboration.

Education Training and Experience:

- Valid Early Childhood Educator License to practice issued by the BC Child Care Facilities Licensing Board.
- Valid Special Needs License to practice issued by the BC Child Care Facilities Licensing Board.
- Valid Infant and Toddlers License to practice issued by the BC Child Care Facilities Licensing Board.
- Five (5) years recent related experience working in inclusive childcare and the community social services sector with a demonstrated working knowledge of family centered service, early intervention, child development, family support and community-based services.
- Valid First Aid Certificate as per childcare licensing requirements.
- Valid BC Driver's License and access to a personal vehicle for work purposes.
- Criminal Record Review acceptable to the Centre.
- Desirable: Valid School Aged Care Certificate.

Skills & Abilities:

- Demonstrated commitment to Family Centered Care and a customer service approach.
- Demonstrated knowledge of community childcare resources and other community support services.
- Demonstrated knowledge of multi-cultural issues, Indigenous/Metis families, family systems and culturally appropriate practices.
- Ability to take on a leadership role in working independently and as part of a team.
- Ability to develop and maintain effective team building and relationship skills.
- Ability to problem-solve, develop strategies and course of action to follow.
- Ability to establish and maintain rapport with children with special needs.
- Ability to organize and prioritize.
- Ability to communicate effectively, both verbally and in writing.
- Ability to be unbiased, open minded and flexible when working within a variety of community settings.
- Ability to operate related equipment and recognize when maintenance of related equipment is required.
- Ability to drive throughout Surrey and White Rock on a daily basis.
- Physical ability to carry out the duties of the position.

Posting Date: May 15, 2026

Closing Date: May 26, 2026

How to Apply:

To apply, please email resume and cover letter to [hiring@the-centre.org](mailto: hiring@the-centre.org) with the position title in the subject line. If you are an internal candidate, please add that in the subject line as well.

Who we are and what we offer:

Since 1953, the Centre for Child Development of the Lower Mainland has been dedicated to addressing societal barriers for individuals with disabilities and supporting vulnerable children and families throughout the South Fraser Region. We are committed to a family-centered, child-focused approach and maintain strong partnerships within the community. By joining our team, you will be part of a collaborative and supportive work environment.

Our regular employees benefit from a comprehensive benefits package, including health and dental coverage, life insurance, paid vacation and sick leave, as well as participation in the municipal pension plan. Join us in our mission, and together, let's make a profound difference in the lives of those who need it most.

THE CENTRE FOR CHILD DEVELOPMENT IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER.

We are looking forward to reviewing your application, however, due to the volume of submissions we receive, we are unfortunately unable to respond to everyone. Only shortlisted candidates will be contacted. To comply with Canadian Law, all candidates being offered a position with The Centre must be legally entitled to work in Canada.